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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

CASE DOCKET NO. 4811-9

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF ABRAMS

SERIAL NO: 09/621,830

DATE FILED: July 24, 2000

FOR: "FLOCKED TRANSFER AND ARTICLE OF MANUFACTURE INCLUDING THE FLOCKED TRANSFER"

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

TRANSMITTED HEREWITH IS AN AMENDMENT IN THE ABOVE-IDENTIFIED APPLICATION

- SMALL ENTITY STATUS OF THIS APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.9 AND 1.27 HAS BEEN ESTABLISHED BY A VERIFIED STATEMENT PREVIOUSLY SUBMITTED.
- A VERIFIED STATEMENT TO ESTABLISH SMALL ENTITY STATUS UNDER 37 CFR 1.9 AND 1.27 IS ENCLOSED.
- NO ADDITIONAL FEE IS REQUIRED.

THE FILING FEE HAS BEEN CALCULATED AS SHOWN BELOW:

	(COL. 1) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(COL. 2) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(COL. 3) PRESENT EXTRA	SMALL ENTITY		RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	LARGE ENTITY	
				RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE			RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL:	* 33	- ** 29	4	X \$9 =	\$36.00	OR	X \$18 =		
INDEP:	2	- *** 3	0	X \$42 =	\$0.00	OR	X \$84 =	\$0.00	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS				+ \$140 =		OR	+ \$280 =		
ADDITIONAL FEES				TOTAL:	\$36.00	OR	TOTAL:		

*IF THE ENTRY IN COL. 1 IS LESS THAN THE ENTRY IN COL. 2, WRITE "0" IN COL. 3.

**IF THE "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" IN THIS SPACE IS LESS THAN 20, WRITE "20" IN THIS SPACE.

***IF THE "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" IN THIS SPACE IS LESS THAN 3, WRITE "3" IN THIS SPACE.

THE "HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR" (TOTAL OR INDEPENDENT) IS THE HIGHEST NUMBER FOUND FROM THE EQUIVALENT BOX IN COL. 1 OF A PRIOR AMENDMENT OR THE NUMBER OF CLAIMS ORIGINALLY FILED.

- PLEASE CHARGE DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 19-1970 IN THE AMOUNT OF \$ _____. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ENCLOSED.
- A CHECK IN THE AMOUNT OF \$ 36 TO COVER THE FEE IS ENCLOSED.
- THE COMMISSIONER IS HEREBY AUTHORIZED TO CHARGE PAYMENT OF THE FOLLOWING FEES ASSOCIATED WITH THIS COMMUNICATION OR CREDIT ANY OVERPAYMENT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT NO. 19-1970. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ENCLOSED.
- ANY FILING FEES UNDER 37 CFR 1.16 FOR THE PRESENTATION OF EXTRA CLAIMS.
- ANY PATENT APPLICATION PROCESSING FEES UNDER 37 CFR 1.17.

RESPECTFULLY SUBMITTED,

SHERIDAN ROSS P.C.

Douglas W. Swartz
Registration No. 37,739"EXPRESS MAIL" MAILING LABEL NUMBER: EV180617732US
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TYPED OR PRINTED NAME: Amy S. Dunn

SIGNATURE:



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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BOX ISSUE FEE

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

) Group Art Unit: 1771

) Examiner: Singh, Arti-R.

AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE
PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.312

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TYPED OR PRINTED NAME: Amy S. Duarte

SIGNATURE:

Dear Sir:

Applicant(s) submit this Amendment After Allowance pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.312 in response to the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due having a mailing date of February 11, 2003. An amendment may be entered after the mailing of a Notice of Allowance but prior to payment of the issue fee upon the recommendation of the primary examiner. Therefore, it is respectfully requested that the above-referenced application be amended as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend Claims 22, 24, 35, and 37 as follows:

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22. (Once Amended) The article of Claim ²⁷, wherein the thermosetting hot melt film is cross-linked.